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AND MATCH GAME, filed November 15, 1995

Dear Ms. Massey:

We have received correspondence (a copy of which is attached) indicating that formal drawings were not timely received for the above noted application.

Our file indicates that the drawings were timely filed with a certificate of mailing on October 13, 1997. Furthermore, we have received back a return card indicating that the Patent Office did receive the drawings.

Consequently, I am at this time resending a true copy of the transmittal letter with certificate of mailing, a copy of the return card and another formal set of drawings for this application.

Kindly accept this set of drawings as timely filed and withdraw the Notice of Outstanding Drawing Requirement.

Respectfully submitted,

Maynard E. Small

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which was made in the "Notice of Allowability " (PTOL-37)

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has not been satisfied. As set forth in the "Notice of Allowability" (PTOL-37), required drawing corrections must have been made by a bonded draftsman or new drawings submitted during the three month statutory period set for payment of the issue fee. The *three* month period for payment of the issue fee is a statutory requirement (35 USC 151) and cannot be extended. However, drawing corrections and new formal drawings will be accepted as timely filed until the end of a *six* month statutory period (35 USC 133), provided a request for extension of time in accordance with 37 CFR 1.136(a) and the correct fee are submitted before the end of the six month period. The required fees are set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(a). If the requirements are not satisfied within the statutory period, this application will be abandoned.

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